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POLICE MAKE REAL HAUL OF BOOTLEGGERS

Quintet of Winchester Negroes Caught Here With 25 Gallons of Moonshine

The biggest capture of moonshine whisky and bootleggers recorded in police circles here in a long time, was made about 8 o'clock Monday night by Officers Wade Golden, Jack Hardin, Jas. Turner and Chief Devore, when they nabbed five negroes from Winchester in a Ford car with about 25 gallons of liquor.

The car came speeding down East Main street at 8 o'clock. The first named three officers were near the corner of B and East Main street and saw the car coming with only one light burning. They stopped the machine and when they did so noticed a glass jar of what seemed to be whisky sitting on the front seat between the driver, a young colored man, and a colored woman. Further examination showed that the car was practically "loaded to the guards" with moonshine in jugs, jars in sacks and bottles. The officers found three pistols, two automatics and a revolver on the back seat. They took charge of the party immediately and locked them up. The four men gave their names as William McDonald, Jim Romes, James Skinner and Walter Perkins. The woman was registered as Ada Wilson.

In police court Tuesday afternoon Judge G. Murray Smith held all five to await action of the grand jury under \$500 bond each. At the same time, Jesse Owens, who said he was a partner with Dave Haggard, colored undertaker, of Winchester, in a garage, was fined \$10 and given 10 hours in jail for contempt of court. When the woman was on the stand testifying, Chief of Police Claude Devore called attention of Judge Smith to Owens, who was sitting in the audience, and the chief said, "I am shaking his head at the woman as she made her answers to the questions put to her by prosecutor L. P. Chennault. Hers was the only case tried out by Attorney R. C. Odham representing the defendants. The woman claimed that she had merely been picked up by the men and asked to take a ride with them, and that she did not know they were going after whisky nor was any of it hers. She said that she sat in the car while the men got out and brought the whisky in."

The arresting officers testified that Monday night when they were taken in charge the men all denied ownership of the liquor. Officer Turner testified that the young driver of the car told him that both the car and the whisky belonged to Dave Haggard. The license number on the rear of the car was 38006.

Owens, who was put on the stand, said that when he heard Perkins had taken the car to Richmond, he came here Tuesday morning looking for him and found him in jail. He said that he was a partner with Haggard in this and several other cars. He said he rented the car to the boy driving it for a percentage of the profits and did not know where he went or what he did with the car. He claimed that the ferryman at the river crossing at Boonesboro knew his car well. Owens denied he had shaken his head at the Wilson woman, and when he was being taken away to jail on the contempt charge, wanted his attorney to take his case to the Court of Appeals.

The Perkins boy and the woman both said they did not know where the crowd went to get the

whisky. They said that the other boys seemed to know the way; that they went through Richmond and turned to the right near the depot, and then went on out seven or eight miles and turned off on a dirt road. The men got out of the car and went out to a field or woods where two white men met them. The white men had the whisky covered up with leaves and brush in self-sealer jars.

The driver, Perkins, said that the men with him had brought jugs from Winchester. He said they poured the liquor out of the jars into the jugs and then the men carried it to the car. He saw some of his crowd put the white men, but didn't know how much, he said.

After the trials in police court, which had been attended by U. S. Commissioner Warfield Bennett, Federal Prohibition Officers J. D. W. Collins and Joseph Murphy, of the Lexington office, arrived, and poured out the 25 gallons of moonshine into a gutter in front of the city hall. The sight was witnessed by a large crowd. One thirsty fellow caught a pop bottle full about half a block down Irvine street. Mr. Collins then took charge of the case and brought out the Perkins boy and interrogated him thoroughly. Perkins denied that he had said that Dave Haggard owned any of the whisky. Acting on what Patrolman Turner said the boy told him when the arrests were made, Judge Smith issued warrants for both Haggard and Owens, owners of the car. A local officer was sent to Winchester to bring Haggard over here or take a \$500 bond there for his appearance here in court Friday night.

Many compliments were heard about the good work of the local officers in putting over such a wholesale capture. Chief Devore says that he has noticed the Perkins boy driving through town a number of times, and has had him pointed out to him, but that he never had anything on him before.

Holding Up Army Bills

Washington, Dec. 6.—Preparation of both the army and navy appropriation bills providing funds for the fiscal year beginning next July, will be postponed until the Arms Conference has thrashed out the armament question. Chairman Madden, of the House Appropriation Committee, announced today.

Made Torch of Himself

Paducah, Ky., Dec. 6.—W. T. Carnel, 50, a pottery employee, cut his throat with a razor, poured kerosene on his clothing, applied a match, and ran two blocks a blazing human torch. He died before a doctor could be summoned. Authorities say he was insane.

Winchester Man Takes Charge of Crystal Cafe

Mr. P. Manchikes, who has been connected with Stathias Bros. City Restaurant of Winchester, arrived in Richmond the first of the week and took over the management of the Crystal Cafe near the Elks building. He is an old restaurant man, and assures his patrons the very best of service. He says that the coffee he serves is surpassed by none in the city, and solicits the patronage of the people of this county. 289 1t

FOR SALE AT ONCE—Store House and Dwelling on corner North and 6th st. See Freeman Realty Co.

SHOES second hand for sale at the American Shoe Shop, 137 First street. 283 3w

IRISH FREE STATE COMES INTO BEING

Age-Old Conflict With Britain Finally Settled and Erin Takes As Canada

(By Associated Press) Birmingham, England, Dec. 6.—Ireland hereafter will be known officially as the "Irish Free State," under last night's London agreement, Lord Chancellor Birkenhead announced in a public address here today. He said Ireland will be in precisely the same position as Canada.

(By Associated Press) London, Dec. 6.—The British cabinet today unanimously approved the Irish settlement plans.

(By Associated Press) London, Dec. 6.—England and Ireland awoke from their troubled sleep today to joyously learn that the English and Irish conferees had reached an unexpected agreement early today on the Irish question.

Negotiations between the leaders of the Sinn Fein and Ulster elements in Ireland and the British government were started on June 15, 1921—three days after King George's appeal for peace at the opening of the Ulster parliament in Belfast—when Premier Lloyd George invited Eamonn de Valera and Sir James Craig the Ulster premier, to confer with him in London. De Valera accepted the invitation on July 8 and thereupon a truce was agreed to, taking effect July 11.

RICHMOND TO CLOSE FOR FINAL DRIVE

Banks and Business Houses To Show Their Interest In Success of Pool

The wheels of industry will stop in Richmond Wednesday and practically all business houses will remain closed while the final drive to sign up the tobacco of Madison in the Burley Association is in progress.

All four banks in Richmond will also be closed during the day. The local banks are in complete sympathy with the burley association movement, and will be strong backers of the growers when the time comes to need money for advancement on their crops. The most of the local business houses feel in sympathy with the movement also and many have signed a pledge to remain closed to show their interest in the great movement, which so many believe will prove of lasting benefit to the farmers of Kentucky and the entire tobacco producing region.

Chairman T. S. Hagan and his local teams of special workers in the final drive, will be assisted by prominent farmers from other counties. A large number of growers who were in town Monday and had not previously signed, attached their names to contracts. Madison has been a little slow about sticking along with her sister blue grass counties in this big movement, but the workers for the association believe that she is at last going to take her rightful place with them.

Dr. Fortune to Succeed Spencer

Lexington, Dec. 6.—Dr. A. W. Fortune, dean of the College of the Bible, an adjunct of Transylvania College here, today resigned, effective February 1. Dr. Fortune will become pastor of the Central Christian church January 1, succeeding the Rev. I. J. Spencer, who retires then with the title of pastor emeritus.

NO CLEW YET TO WELLS' ASSAILANT

Victim Is Recovering From Dangerous Wounds—Several Saw Mystery Car

Except for the fact that a number of local men believe they saw the mystery car in which P. W. Wells was abducted from his home at College Hill Friday night by three unknown men and the remarkable recovery that Mr. Wells seems to be making from his injuries, there have been no developments in the mysterious affair which has set all of Madison county agog.

County Road Engineer J. G. Baxter was returning home from beyond the College Hill section shortly after six o'clock Friday evening, when he noticed a large touring car standing near the bridge near Mr. C. L. Searey's home near Waco. Two men were on the bridge at the time, apparently loading, with nothing to do. Mr. Baxter said he thought at first the car was in trouble, but as the two men on the bridge did not seem concerned about it, he did not stop. He thought the car was either a large Hudson or a Stutz.

Con Taylor, of that section of the county, also saw the strange car and identified it about as Judge Baxter did. Several others in that section saw the car speeding very fast along the road.

Police Judge G. Murray Smith thinks that he saw the car as it came through town at the time the three men had Wells with them as a prisoner. Judge Smith believes he would be able to identify one of the men should he see him again. The car was proceeding at a rapid rate of speed, with all curtains closed, and who saw the car testify to its exceptionally brilliant lights. Several said that was a large spotlight at the left of the driver. The car evidently did not stop in town, but drove straight on through with Wells, who was barely conscious at this stage of the proceedings as a result of the fearful mauling he had received with the butt of a pistol when the men dragged him in the car at College Hill.

Sheriff Whitlock and Deputy Sheriff Sant Bush conferred with Fayette county officers at Lexington, but no clew has yet been found to the identity of the three men. Mrs. Summie McCreary returned to her home in Lexington at the same time the officers went over. She says she is wholly mystified at the attack and the use of her name. Relatives of Mr. Wells seem to think that the near-murderer wanted to get Mr. Wells' hand-some diamond ring and that this was the cause of the attack. They suspect that he was seen with it in Lexington and followed over here when he returned home.

Another Beer and Light Wine Bill

Washington, Dec. 6.—Sale of beer and light wine would be permitted in congressional districts in which voters expressed approval under a bill introduced today by Representative Hill, republican, Maryland. The measure, which would provide a manufacturer's tax of 20 cents a gallon on beer and 40 cents a gallon on wine, was referred to the Ways and Means Committee.

Today's Livestock Markets

Cincinnati, Dec. 6.—Cattle strong; steady; Chicago 15c to 25c higher. Louisville, Dec. 6.—Cattle 400; steady and unchanged; hogs 1200 strong; tops \$7.25; sheep 50; steady and unchanged.

GROWERS RUSHING TO JOIN ASSOCIATION

Taking Over Madison House Here Pleases Association Leaders At Lexington

Burley tobacco growers to the number of several hundred are with the Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association believed to have signed contracts Monday in many counties of Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana, and West Virginia, in which state Clifton Rodes is conducting a campaign for signatures to the association, judging from reports coming to Organization Manager Jos. Passomont from the field, said Monday's Lexington Herald.

Mr. Passomont said last night that the reports indicated that growers who had remained outside until the association had proven a success in point of numbers and tobacco signed appeared to be eager to get into the organization now and that before the close of the books Saturday next at midnight he believed that 95 per cent of the growers of the entire burley district would be in the organization.

The taking over of a warehouse at Richmond yesterday by friends of the association was extremely gratifying to Mr. Passomont. The majority of the directors of this warehouse were friendly to the association but an officer or two insisted upon opening it for burley sales of December 15th. These men were given an offer for their stock and accepted it.

Of the 130 loose leaf warehouses in the district 126 now are reported to be friendly to the association, and will not open for burley sales until the organization is permanently formed, has elected its directors and officers and is ready for business.

Chairman Ralph M. Barker, of the warehouse committee, says his committee has been at work on an equitable basis of valuation of warehouse property all over the district and hopes to have within the next few days to submit a proposition to the warehousemen.

Mr. Barker said that in its two day meeting, the committee has consulted experts from Louisville, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Chicago and Milwaukee, that it had been working on a valuation and appraisal plan that would be of general application and fair to the warehousemen as well as to the association.

"We have found the warehousemen of the district, as a whole, not only willing to remain closed," said Mr. Barker, "but working with us in the interest of the growers of the entire burley belt. The committee has been doing everything in its power to obtain fair and accurate appraisals of each piece of property it is proposed to take over and I have no doubt that an arrangement will be made that will be absolutely fair and satisfactory to all persons interested."

Merchant Shoots Waitress

Middlesboro, Dec. 6.—W. B. Lewis, 30, merchant of Four Mile shot and killed Maude Wilson, 28, a waitress, of Pineville, in an automobile between Middlesboro and Pineville Sunday afternoon, according to a verdict returned by the coroner's jury last night. It is alleged that Lewis placed an automatic revolver to the temple of the woman and fired one shot. Miss Wilson was driving at the time, it is said, and the car turned over. Lewis claimed that the woman was killed when the revolver was discharged accidentally.

DO NOT BE CLASSSED WITH THE "MIGHT HAVE BEENS"



Mrs. D. W. White

Who is one of the leading candidates in the Daily Register's Big Automobile Contest.

Mrs. White is the invalid and capable wife of D. W. White, of the Dixie Auto Company, of this city, having moved here recently from Paint Lick. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Moody, of Kingston, both deceased. Mrs. White desires to impress upon her friends the fact that she is one of the chief contenders in the contest and to maintain this position among the leaders she must have more subscriptions to the Daily Register from day to day.

If you have promised her subscriptions please send them in at once to her at the Daily Register office this week, as the big bonus closes Saturday and there will be no more extra votes afterward. She wishes to thank her many friends for their financial and loyal support so far and asks them to continue to help her for the few remaining days as the contest closes December 15th.

The Weather

Fair tonight. We're seeing a clearing cloudiness, not much change in temperature.

State Gets 444 Trucks For Road Building Work

Washington, Dec. 6.—Kennedy has received 519 motor vehicles out of a total of about 27,000 which have been distributed by the Bureau of Public Road, Department of Commerce, to the various states for road building purposes. These comprise practically all the surplus motor vehicles turned over to the Department of Agriculture by the War Department to be distributed by the State Highway Department under provision of the Wadsworth-Kahn act. Of the total number of motor vehicles allotted to Kentucky, 444 are trucks and 75 were automobiles.

Truck Turned Turtle

Danville, Dec. 6.—Reily League had a very narrow escape yesterday while driving a truck for N. L. Curry Grocery Company. The steering gear broke and the truck jumped off the pike and turned turtle with Mr. League under it. He was rescued from the wreck and after the steering rod was fixed, he continued his journey.

FOR RENT—3 rooms furnished or unfurnished, bath and sleeping porch. Apply to Mrs. Dan Wallace, phone 905. 288 3p

FOR RENT—Furnished home on West Main street. See or call B. Z. McKinney, phone 412. 288 3

The 25,000 Extra Vote Period Closed Last Saturday Night and for This Week Only We Are Going to Allow Subscribers Workers 15,000 Extra Votes With Each \$30.00 Turned in

The days are slipping by and December 15th and the end of the Daily Register's subscription contest will be here before you know it.

Our todays are our opportunities, but with our tomorrows comes the thought "It might have been." One of those grand prizes or one of the autos might have been mine. We don't want any "might have been" sorrow at the end of the contest. Make the best of the last extra vote we are giving this week until Saturday at 5 p. m. and be the winner.

Don't Forget That

Next Saturday, Dec. 10th, will be the last extra vote workers will get and this is 15,000 for each \$30 turned in. This is positively the last extra vote to be given and because of this fact every effort should be made by the candidates to collect all "promises" this week.

A Change in Places

Last week at the end of the big \$30 period, six candidate changed places and this week you will see others change, and the closer this campaign comes to the end, the more often they are going to change, for the hard workers and the producers are going to get results NOW.

REMEMBER there are just EIGHT MORE WORKING DAYS in this campaign and WORKERS SHOULD STUFF TEN SUBSCRIPTIONS A DAY. IF THEY WANT TO RIDE IN AN AUTOMOBILE AT THE EXPENSE OF THE DAILY REGISTER.

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MRS. PLEAS BROADDUS LOSES BROTHER

News was received by Mrs. Pleas Broadbuds late Monday evening, stating that her brother, Robert Simmons, died suddenly of a heart attack while out on a farm in Nelson county. The news came as a great shock to his relatives and friends here, where he has spent most of his life. He was the son of the late David Simmons, of the Lancaster road, and was known and liked by a large number of friends in his old home. He was about 55 years of age, was unmarried.

Surviving him are one sister, Mrs. Pleas Broadbuds, of this city, and two brothers, John and Ben Simmons, all of Richmond. The body will be brought to Richmond for burial. Mr. John Simmons left late Monday night for Bardonia to accompany the remains here. The time of funeral has not yet been announced.

FOR SALE—1920 Ford coupe, like new; will sell cheap. B. Z. McKinney, phone 412. 288 3t

Today's Produce Prices

Quoted and paid by Register Brothers.
Eggs 45 cents doz
Hens 13 cents lb
Roosters 7 cents lb
Geese 14 cents lb
Ducks 15 cents lb
Young Guineas 30c head
Old Guineas 30c head
Beef Hides 6 cents lb

9 More Days To Help Your Friends

THE DAILY REGISTER BIG AUTOMOBILE CONTEST CLOSSES THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, AT 5 P. M. BETTER PAY \$3.00 NOW AND SUBSCRIBE FOR THE YEAR WHILE YOU CAN GET THE BEST PAPER PUBLISHED IN YOUR STATE FOR THIS PRICE. DON'T COME TO THE OFFICE AFTER IT IS TOO LATE TO HELP YOUR FRIENDS. EVERYONE HAS THE CHANCE TO SUBSCRIBE AND HELP YOUR FRIENDS THAT IS RUNNING IN THIS BIG CONTEST.

Pay Now While It Is Time

Delay Means Defeat